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New U.S. Patent Application
Title: TRUST MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS AND METHODS
Inventors: Stephen P. Weeks, et al.

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 43 pages, including cover sheet, 5 independent claims and 20 claims total.
2. Drawings - 22 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-19).
3. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee					\$710	\$ 710.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	20	-	20	0	x \$18	\$ 0.00
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TOTAL APPLICATION FILING FEE						\$ 870.00

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4. Please charge the fee of \$870.00, which includes the filing fee of \$710.00 and the additional claims fee of \$160.00 to our deposit account no. 06-0916.

Applicants claim the right to priority based on Provisional Patent Application No. 60/205,402 filed March 19, 2000. This application is being timely filed on March 21, 2001 (a Monday).

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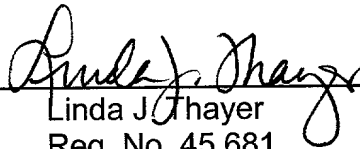
This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f). Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration.

Please accord this application an application number and filing date.

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Respectfully submitted,

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